

# NEWS RELEASE



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## **CITY OF CINCINNATI OFFERS ARTIST GRANTS; DEADLINE MARCH 1, 2006**

Cincinnati – The City of Cincinnati seeks applicants for its Individual Artist Grant Program. The program is open to creative and interpretive artists who are residents of the city of Cincinnati and are age eighteen or older. The maximum award is \$5,000. The application deadline is March 1, 2006. For program information, visit [www.cincyrec.org](http://www.cincyrec.org) or call 352-4985.

**Where to get an application:** Applications and program guidelines are available mid-January at [www.cincyrec.org](http://www.cincyrec.org) and application distribution points throughout Cincinnati. Applications and program guidelines are available in hard copy format at the following locations: Cincinnati Recreation Commission (Main Office (Two Centennial Plaza, Suite 800, 805 Central Avenue), Dunham Recreation Complex, and Westwood Town Hall), Art Academy of Cincinnati, Arts Consortium, Enjoy the Arts, Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County (Corryville, Northside, and Walnut Hills branch libraries, and Education and Religion Department, Main Library), University of Cincinnati School of Art, Urban Appalachian Council, and Weston Art Gallery.

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